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One Cent

BOATMAN OF COAL COMPANY DROWNED IN MONONGAHELA

Charles Smith Meets Death Near the Tremont Mines.

THE BODY IS RECOVERED

Coroner is Notified and Will Make Investigations Into Case.

Charles Smith, a well known Allenport man was accidentally drowned in the river at the Tremont mines last evening when he fell from a barge. The body was recovered a short while after the accident by William Dinsmore, who dove under a barge to secure it.

Smith who is about 30 years old is employed as a boatman by the River Coal company at the Tremont mines. He was off duty each night at 6 o'clock and it was his custom to wash up and change clothes before going home. He was not seen after he left work last evening, but it is supposed that he was washing as usual from a barge, and in bending over lost his balance and fell into deep water, from which he was unable to get out. Duncan Carothers works the turn after Smith, and they both use the same boat in crossing the river. Carothers going to the river to cross did not find the boat waiting, and secured another. His suspicions were aroused, and when he landed on the opposite shore started out to learn something of his fellow workman, to happen upon his work clothes on the barge. He surmised at once that the man had been drowned, and called for aid. Search was made for the body and in a short time it was recovered and taken home.

Smith is survived by his widow in Allenport. He was held in high esteem by his fellow workmen and acquaintances. The coroner has been notified and will make investigations into the drowning.

DROVE FOR EXPRESS

COMPANY EIGHT DAYS; TOOK MONEY AND LEFT

Attributing his downfall to liquor, Caire Johnson, a driver for the Adams Express company at Donora, entered a plea to appropriating \$34.85 of the funds of the company in court yesterday. Johnson had been in the employ of the company only eight days. He stated that the morning he went to work the agent of the company invited him to take a drink, and he accepted. The practice was kept up during the week and when Saturday night rolled round, he spent all the money he had collected for the company on a spree. He skipped out and went to Youngstown, O., where he was arrested on August 5. The court directed him to pay the costs, a fine of \$20 and to restore the stolen money and to undergo imprisonment in the workhouse for a period of six months.

Will Erect New School

At a meeting of the Carroll township school board, held Monday evening, it was decided to build a 4 room brick school building at West Monongahela. It is said the citizens will be satisfied with the site and will not take up threatened proceedings against the board.

Company A Detail Will Prepare Camp

Tenth Regiment Will go to Gettysburg Encampment This Week.

A detail of Company A Tenth regiment leaves this afternoon for Pittsburgh, to joined by details of other companies going there to Gettysburg to begin the work of preparing the camps for the arrival of the regiment Friday morning. It is expected that the Tenth regiment will attend with a full quota of companies and officers. Company A will leave Monongahela tomorrow afternoon.

MINERS ENTER GUILT PLEAS

Two Sentenced to Pay Costs and Fines for Violations.

INSPECTOR PROSECUTOR

Two mine officials who were indicted by the grand jury for violations of the mining laws threw themselves upon the mercy of the court yesterday. The defendants were John E. Leonard, mine superintendent of the Kinder mine of the Warner-Leonard Coal company, near West Brownsville, and George Robson, mine foreman of the same mine. The indictment against Leonard contained ten counts, and six counts were charged up to Robson. F. W. Cunningham of Charleroi, state mine inspector, was the prosecutor in both cases. The defendants were sentenced by Judge J. F. Taylor to pay costs and fines of \$25.

Leonard was charged with failing to provide safety switches, shelter holes, an anemometer, proper openings, convenient stairs and for neglecting to keep record of ventilation pressure, failing to post copies of mine laws, plan of mines and for neglecting to call attention of the miners to the rules governing operators. Robson was charged with failure to provide safety blocks, shelter holes, neglecting to measure air, permitting more than 20 men to work in the mine not in communication with two air openings and failing to provide a stairway in second opening.

BRICK COMPANY TO BE DISSOLVED

A petition was presented to court yesterday for the dissolution of the Charleroi Brick works. The plant is located at North Charleroi. A majority of the stockholders at a meeting held on September 22, 1909, resolved to apply to the court for a decree of dissolution of the corporation. The corporation has no debts or liabilities whatever. The petition will be heard by the court on September 5 at 10 o'clock.

Eugene Fau and daughter Miss Mary left this morning for an extended trip to the east.

NORTH CHARLEROI PAYS DAMAGES OF 52 CENTS

Councilmen Dig Down in Pockets to Get Amount Asked by Woman as Result of Alleged Wrong Assessment.

Members of the North Charleroi council at an adjourned meeting held Monday evening, dug down in their pockets to contribute to a fund of 52 cents claimed as damages by a woman residing on Lincoln avenue as a result of an alleged wrong paving assessment. Each member of council was called upon and pennies and nickels were pulled forth.

Not long ago Lincoln avenue was paved. Some of the property owners claimed right assessments were not made, and Monday night appeared to seriously discuss the matter with council. Finally the total damage

claim was brought down to 52 cents, this amount for one person, on a matter of about an inch of paving. Thereupon council to settle all grievances unparliamentarily decided to make up the deficiency by individual contributions, and suited their action to the word.

An ordinance for the laying of sidewalks on Lincoln avenue passed third reading. A number of bills were ordered paid. Council adjourned after according to parliamentary rules, being in session since last week, when a meeting was unceremoniously adjourned by the blowing of the fire whistle.

ALLEGED BASEBALL GAME WILL BE SIGNAL FOR HAS-BEENS TO GET BUSY

Benefit Affair for Monessen-Charleroi Hospital Promises to be Something Decidedly Interesting.

CAPTAIN SAM TODD HAS ABOUT PICKED HIS BUNCH

Such a motley gathering of has-beens and would-be constellations in the baseball world as will lineup for the alleged struggle in the nature of a baseball game August 16 would be hard to find. The alleged game is to come off between the Elk and the Eagle teams.

As baseball players the members of the teams beggar description. Sam Todd is going to pitch—that is he is going to occupy the heaver's position in the center of the diamond and exhibit his gracefulness in an everlasting effort to lay the ball over the plate. Sam talks considerable about the game and says it is a shame to put in such good players against "The Birds," as Kerfoot Daly, Pierce Ferguson and Merlin McCloskey. It's too much like taking candy from a kid he says, and if it wasn't that the gate receipts went for the hospital, he would let the second nine play.

Still he don't care a doggone if the Eagles do get beat, so he is going to

play Tom Hastings on short, Bob Vetter at first, Tom Eagye on second and Postmaster J. E. McCordle at third. Henry Sheets is expected to umpire. In right field Eli Williams will cast his brilliant reflection, and if practice goes for anything he will make good with a vengeance, for he played there 42 years ago.

Great things are expected of Charley Bateman, who of late has been practicing on home runs. Todd thinks that Judge Jenkins ought to make a good player as he has learned how to make doubles and singles. Lou Mitchell has been drafted because of his superior hitting ability, but Sam has not decided on his left fielder. Apparently this position will be contested for by Eddie Hastings and Willie Jameson, although Todd would much prefer a left handed man. For a reserve John K. Tener will be held. In fact he will be reserved so much that he will never get near the ball field.

COAL COMPANY BUILDS OFFICE

Bungalow Structure of Charleroi Coal Company Near Ready for Occupancy.

The Charleroi Coal company is about completing the construction of a bungalow office building on McKean avenue, a short distance south of the tipples. The roof is to be put on yet and some other incidental work is to be done, but it is expected it will be ready for occupancy within a month. The coal company is doing the work for itself not letting out any contracts. The structure which is built of brick and stone, contains four rooms, one of which will be for the superintendent's office, and the others for the various clerks and office employees. The building adds considerably to the appearance of McKean avenue at that portion of the borough.

WILL NOT PAY AT THE END OF WEEK

The River Coal company has announced that in the Fourth pool the pay days will hereafter take place on the 10th and 25th of each month, in place of Saturdays, as heretofore. These same dates have prevailed in this pool for some time and the results have been satisfactory, so much so that it is all probability these dates will remain fixed for that purpose.

Fever Epidemic

Connellsville is suffering from an epidemic of typhoid fever, ten cases and one death having been reported within the past few days. The water is blamed, and the board of health has issued instructions to boil it.

DISASTER ATTENDS JOY RIDE OF BOYS

Two Young Fellows Alleged to Have Appropriated Machine.

As the result of an escapade in which two boys about 18 years old and an automobile figured, Walter Clark and William Kinnig of North Belle Vernon were held for court this morning on charges of forcible entry and malicious mischief under \$500 bail and were each fined \$10 and costs for running an automobile without the owners consent.

The story told is that the boys went to an automobile garage in Monessen Sunday night, broke in, and took therefrom the Mitchell car of D. Farquhar. They then drove to the Monessen-Charleroi bridge it is said, met some girls and came to Charleroi, where they rode around. The girls were let out and the young fellows took a trip to the end of the new road. Upon their return they ran into a cow and before they got the machine back to Monessen, it is stated, was badly used up. Information was made against them and they were arrested yesterday.

Campers Leave

Robert McGowan, Norvan Kistler, Herbert Jacobs, Charles Jones, Kirke McLain, and Donald Allen formed the Charleroi Camera Club which left this morning in McGowan's yacht for above Fairmont, W. Va., where they will camp out for a week or ten days. Fishing will form apart of the diversions of the campers.

75c. \$1.00 and 1.50 shirts go at 59 cents. Berryman's Remnant Sale. Wednesday, August 10. 29412

GOOD RAIN CUTS SHORT MUCH FEARED DROUGHT

Charleroi Paper Is One Among 200

Commonwealth Chooses Mirror as One Publication for State Advertising.

Of the 200 newspapers in the state of Pennsylvania selected to print the advertisement of the four constitutional amendments that are to be considered the second print by the Legislature in 1911 the Charleroi Mirror was one. The order was received from the state department a few days ago and this week the first insertion will be made. They are to be printed in the 200 newspapers 13 times between now and the November election.

ASKING FOR BOND ISSUE

Petition Being Circulated by Monongahela Citizens.

IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED

A petition is being circulated among the citizens of Monongahela to be presented later to council, asking that they take the initiative in the way of providing for the submission of the question of a bond issue to the people of the city, the proceeds to be used for the permanent repair of certain street terminals.

It is proposed that the proceeds of the bond issue be used for the permanent repair of East Main street, West Chess street and such other highways in the city limits as connect with improved roads now leading to the city.

The county and state will have expended about \$180,000 in improving the roads leading to Monongahela when existing and contemplated contracts have been completed.

Monessen has bond indebtedness, borough and school \$403,000.00 with \$27,000.00 floating debt. Charleroi has 246,000.00, Donora, \$247,000.00. Monongahela now has \$67,000.00 school and \$54,000.00 city. It has a margin now to issue \$114,000.00 more of city bonds.

FIRST LEAGUE TO MAKE MONEY

Something Over \$400 in Treasury of Church Organization.

The first money making baseball league that ever existed in Charleroi was the Charleroi Church Baseball league according to a report made by Treasurer C. S. McKean last night at a meeting of the Board of Managers. There is something over \$400 in the treasury. Of this amount was voted \$45 to be given to each church team and a balance of \$87 to remain in the treasury.

Crops Saved by Down-Pour Last Night and Today.

CONDITIONS IN THE WEST

Land Owners Suffer in Other States From Lack of Sufficient Moisture

Seldom was a rain more generally welcomed than that of last night and this morning and from it the growing grain according to one prominent Fallowfield township farmer, from a decidedly peaked appearance, has brightened up until a good crop is indicated in spite of the little dry weather. Yesterday the effects of the long spell of dryness showed most plainly on the corn and other crops. The leaves of the corn were beginning to sort of curl and present a dead appearance.

The rain of last Sunday was too light to be of much benefit, but last night and this morning's rain was a good one, and just the kind that was most needed. John Rodgers, Esq., of Fallowfield township said this morning that the crops might turn out better than anticipated if the weather is right from this time forth. The present rain he said, has done lots of good especially to the corn but did not come in time to make the early crop a good one. The late crop of corn promises to be good.

In the west conditions are the same, according to the newspapers. There the drought was of about the same duration as the one through which this section has just passed, and considerable damage was done to the larger farms as a result.

Methodists Will Enjoy Outing at Eldora Friday

The Methodist Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at Eldora park on Friday August 12. All members of the school and church and any friends of the Sunday school are cordially invited to go along. Throw off the cares of the day and enjoy a day's outing at the popular pleasure resort.

All children of the school under 14 years of age are requested to meet at the church on Friday morning at 8:15 to procure their free tickets for transportation to the park and for park amusements. There will be games and sports of all kinds. In order to fully carry out plans for the outing the following committees have been appointed who will have full charge of the picnic.

Committee on tickets—E. R. Abell, Tagging Baskets—Mac Jamison, Robert Hudspeth, Warren True. Transportation—D. H. Glunt, H. J. Booth, Percy Pollock. Refreshments—Mrs. C. A. Fisher, Mrs. Samuel Pardoe, Mrs. Maud Slaughter, Mrs. Jas. Dunlap, Miss Mary Glunt. Amusements—Miss Edith Hazlett, Miss Mildred Lowstutter, Mrs. Frank Welsh, Lambert Henton, Emanuel Pardoe, B. E. Wilson, Percy Pollock, W. D. Pollock.

Mrs. Robert Murray is home after spending a few days with Mrs. George Smith of South Brownsville.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Worth Every Effort

Some may say what's the use of saving money—why not enjoy it and have a good time?

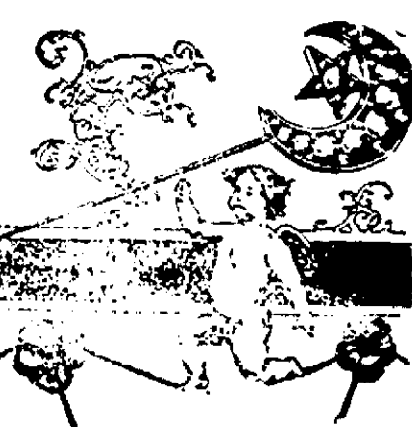
But look ahead and see what the future has in store for you if you make regular deposits in the bank.

Your account is invited.

4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts
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Jewelry styles find their way to this store surely and promptly.

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ture.

TELEPHONES

MAIL 76 CHARLEROI 76
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ADVERTISING RATES

DISPLAY—Fifty cents per inch, first
insertion. Rates for large space contracts
made known on application.
READING NOTICE—Such as business
calls, notices of meetings, resolutions of
associations, etc., five cents per
line.

LEGAL NOTICES—Legal, official and
judicial advertising, including that in set-
tlement of estates, public sales, live stock
and stray notices, bank notices, notices to
creditors, 10 cents per line, first insertion;
5 cents a line, each additional insertion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

George S. Micht, Charleroi
O. Collins, Charleroi
D. Dooley, Dunlevy
S. L. Kibler, Look No. 4

Aug. 10 In American History.

1814—William Lowndes Yancey, noted
southern leader, born; died 1862.
1861—Battle of Wilson Creek, Mo., and
tragic death in action of General
Nathaniel Lyon, U. S. A.
1868—Adah Isaac Menken, noted ac-
tress and equestrienne, died in
Paris; born in New Orleans 1835.
1865—James W. Marshall, discoverer
of gold in California, died; born
1812.
1896—Louise Chandler Moulton, au-
thor, died; born 1825.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:01, rises 5:52; moon sets
5:57 p. m.; planets Venus and Nep-
tune in conjunction in constellation
Gemini; sun's declination, 15 degrees
34 minutes north of celestial equator;
A. D. 1675, Greenwich observatory be-
gan; maximum of Perseid meteors
throughout the night, beginning in
northeast at about 9 p. m.

Apostles of the Impossible

In these days we believe every-
thing is possible, says the Philadel-
phia Star.

As usual we are wrong.

Every day some one is proving to
us our error. If this were not true
we would be wasting much of our
time and thought on dreams and plans
of impossible things, and occupying
much more time than necessary to
discover the right way to do things.

An aeroplane is killed; his theories
were wrong.

Zeppelin's airships and gas plants
are wiped out in accidents; his
schemes were too elaborate.

A rich man dies, unhappy, proving
that wealth does not bring peace.

A man dies a drunkard, proving
that it is impossible for a liberal user
of alcohol to succeed in life.

We jeer at the unhappy airmen and
have scorn for the mean rich man and
the drunkard. But have they not
pointed out to us the things that are
impossible? It is not important that
we know what is impossible as well
as what is possible? And have they
not shown us the wrong way so that
we may avoid it?

They are the apostles of the im-
possible, these men who seem to fail.
What a sad, lonely trail they have
blazed back through the pages of his-
tory.

And what a tremendous benefit
they have been to the world, these
men who were marked by fate to
show the world what was the wrong
way—what was the path to avoid.

Postal Savings Bank

Advices from Washington are to
the effect that the postal savings
bank system, recently authorized by
Congress, is a popular one. Already
390 postmasters and 102 banks have
written to Postmaster General Hitch-
cock. The postmasters asked that
their offices be designated as postal
savings banks, and the banks re-
quested that they be named as deposi-
tories for postal funds.

From every state and territory,
except Arizona, Delaware, the Dis-
trict of Columbia, Nevada and Rhode
Island, applications have been made

by postmasters and only Delaware,
Nevada and Utah bankers have failed
to ask for deposits from the fund to
be accumulated. Only Delaware and
Nevada have failed to be represented
by either postmasters or banks in the
making of such requests.

The greatest interest in the new
institution has been shown in the state
of Pennsylvania, when came 31 re-
quests from postmasters and 102 re-
quests from banks. Among the
southern states, Texas takes the lead
in the matter of interest in the new
system, 30 postmasters and 30 banks
of that state having written to Mr.
Hitchcock in reference to the new
postal banks.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The men who brings home ice cream
has nothing on that personage who
when he gets home has a frost wait-
ing on him.

When the women get to smoking
they may expect to be confronted with
such signs as "ladies, do not spit on
the floor" etc., and to hear a woman
with more of her husband's wealth
than beauty and sense loudly demand-
ing Lillian to kick the spittoon over
her way, should occasion no surprise.

At last the doll of the lover's heart
has been found. It is an envelope
that cannot be opened without un-
mistakable signs being left of its
having been tampered with.

The young West Point graduates
who took a trip up the alley to study
the lock and dam system, probably
thought more about this being a rich
valley than the fact that Braddock
marched down along its shores.

The court in instructing the con-
stable to see that finger boards are
supplied where they are needed, should
not have neglected to add that it was
not necessary to so point out the
Washington booze joints—they are al-
ready too well known.

More Echoes From Eden

Whatever trouble Adam had,
No man could make him sore
By saying, when he told a jest,
"I've heard that joke before."
—Success Magazine.

Whatever troubles Adam had,
He never had bad dreams,
That come from roosting all you're
mad

For a pair of tailend teams.
—St. Louis Times.

Whatever troubles Adam had,
It's safe enough to bet
The old man never ran afoul
A husky suffragette
—New Castle Herald.

In planning for the marriage of one
of the daughters of the house, it is
always best to confer with the cook
about the day, otherwise she might
happen to want the selected time for
her day off.

When there are two marriageable
daughters in a household, and only
one porch swing, there is bound to be
some domestic infelicity.

When any person comes around to
clean out the office for some alleged
insult is to be hoped that all the
office fraternity are there to see the
event pulled off.

PRESERVING ROADS

Those who are charged with the
preservation of the good roads should
read a recent bulletin issued by the
United States department of agricul-
ture. It gives interesting facts:
Experiments were made during the
summer of 1909 at Washington, D.
C.; Youngstown, Ohio, and Ithaca,
N. Y. with different preparations for
the prevention of dust and the preser-
vation of roads.

At Washington, waste sulphite
liquor was used on a macadam drive-
way subjected to light traffic. Sul-
phite liquor is a dense, sticky liquid
produced in the manufacture of wood
pulp. It was applied in mixtures
with water in varying proportions.
The results show that it has but little
value as a permanent road treatment,
but that in concentrated form it may
be classed as a temporary or semi-
permanent dust preventive and road
binder.

At Youngstown blast furnace slag
was used alone and in different com-
binations with lime, sulphite liquor
and tar to determine the best method
of utilizing slag for road construction.
While sufficient time has not elapsed
since these experiments were made to
show definite and permanent results,
it is believed that they will be valu-

able in determining what combinations
will produce the best road.

At Ithaca, tar, oil, artificial asphalt
preparations, brick, cement and slag
were used with varying results.

All of these experiments are fully
described, with results produced in
each case, and a report on experi-
ments formerly made, in circular 93
of the office of public roads, United
States department of agriculture.
Dubois Express.

Pottery and Secrecy.

In the royal manufactory of pottery
at Meissen, Saxony, the work was for-
merly carried on with the utmost se-
crecy to prevent the processes from
becoming known elsewhere. The es-
tablishment was a complete fortress,
the portals of which were not raised
day or night, no stranger being per-
mitted to enter for any purpose what-
ever. Every workman, even the chief
inspector, was sworn to silence. This
injunction was formally repeated every
month to the superior officers employ-
ed, while the workmen had constantly
before their eyes in letters the warn-
ing motto, "The Secret Unto Death."
It was well known that any per-
son divulging the process would be
imprisoned for life in the castle of
Koenigsstein. Even the king himself
when he took strangers of distinction
to visit the works was enjoined to se-
crecy. One of the workmen, however,
escaped and assisted in establishing a
manufactory in Vienna, from which
the secrets spread all over Germany.

Her Diamond Necklace.

Brown is a very careful man. He is
superlatively careful. So careful is he
that he has insured his insurance
money.

Now, Brown has a wife. Wives have
to be given birthday presents, and on
his wife's first birthday after their
marriage he gave her a beautiful dia-
mond necklace. This was not as reck-
less as you might think, for each stone
on the necklace represented a year of
Mrs. Brown's life, and he let every one
know that. And he arranged to give
Mrs. Brown a new diamond each
birthday. And he let the neighbors
know that too.

He has just missed giving his wife a
birthday present for the ninth suc-
cessive year.

As to when greed will conquer pride
and his wife will ask for another birth-
day present, we shall have to wait and
see.—Pearson's.

The Salt Charm Failed.

Some three years before the Franco-
German war broke out Count Secken-
dorff accompanied King William I. on
his visit to Napoleon III. and was
present at the celebrated déjeuner given
in the Pavillon de Diane at Fontaine-
bleau. King William, who was
sitting next the empress, was asked
by her to pass the salt, and in compli-
ing with this request he threw a little
salt over his shoulder. Upon the em-
press exclaiming, "Why do you do
that?" the king explained that in his
country it was the custom to do so
when passing the salt to ward off bad
luck and any chance of a quarrel. The
empress in a pretty turned speech at
once replied, "But surely there is no
danger of anything interfering with
our friendship." In less than three
years the Germans had crossed the
Rhine.—London Spectator.

Why Not Pass the Plate?

They ought to pass the plate at
church weddings. It comes natural to
do it in church, and to do so would
add a pretty and useful employment to
the duties of the ushers, who always
have a little spare time before the
bride arrives. And, really, getting
married is more expensive than ever,
and, though wedding presents are ex-
cellent in their way, what the young
people usually need the most is cash.
Instead of the list of gifts which the
newspapers sometimes print we should
read, "The collection yielded \$4,000-
000." That would be nice. It is much
easier to store and care for money
than plate and glass! And money al-
ways fits and there is no such thing as
an embarrassing duplication of dollars.
—Life.

He Saved the Patent Office.

When in the war of 1812 the British,
who had taken Washington, trained
their guns upon the patent office, Dr.
Thornton, throwing himself directly
before the guns, cried:
"Are you Englishmen or Goths and
Vandals? This is the patent office—a
depository of the ingenuity and inven-
tions of the American nation, in which
the whole civilized world is interested.
Would you destroy it? Then let the
charge pass through my body."
And the building was spared. Twen-
ty-four years afterward, however, it
was destroyed by fire, together with
everything in it.

HIS VOCABULARY.

It Was Real Literary, According to the
Wily Stenographer.

The beautiful typewriter girl puffed
out her golden pompadour nervously
says the Philadelphia Bulletin, "My
speed 'll increase, Mr. Moor—excuse
me, Wellington—my speed 'll increase
30 to 40 per cent every day."
Broker Wellington frowned. The
girl had taken his dictation slowly
and in a stern, skeptical voice he said,
"How so?"

"It's your new vocabulary that puts
me out," she explained. "I had Mr.
Meer's vocabulary very pat—as per,
'contents noted,' 'the same'—he only
used about 300 words." Her flatter-
ing smile warmed the man like a sun-
beam. "But you, sir, have a real lit-
erary style. 'Beg to submit,' 'our best
attention,' 'slump,' 'bullish,' 'hypothe-
cated'—they're all new words to me."

Every woman should read this advertisement through

New Features for the Ladies' Home Journal

Beginning with the September 1 issue (appearing Aug. 25)
the most popular of monthly magazines will start
to appear twice per month at the same

PRICE PER YEAR ONLY \$1.50
and 10c per single copy instead of 15c

The Curtis Publishing Company by this wise
move takes a decided step ahead and bids fair to
double its circulation thereby.

Leave your subscription with us now and get
all the first year's twenty-four numbers, complete
for only \$1.50.

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OVERTAXED

Hundreds of Charleroi Readers
Know What it Means

The kidneys are overtaxed.
Have too much to do.
They tell about it in many aches
and pains—
Backache, sideache, headache,
Early symptoms of kidney ills.
Urinary troubles, diabetes, Bright's
disease follow.

A Charleroi citizen tells here the
way to keep the kidneys well

M. Miller, 210 Second Street, Char-
leroi, Pa., says: "While living in
Marion, Ind., I used Doan's Kidney
Pills and in return for the great bene-
fit I received, I recommend them
highly. My principal trouble was
backache, but I was also annoyed by
headaches and dizzy spells and diffi-
culty with the kidney secretions.
Doan's Kidney Pills helped me at
once and I also know of other persons
who have used them with good re-
sults."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50
cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,
New York sole agents for the United
States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no other.

Queen and Princess Contests

The results of the queen and prin-
cess contests in connection with Block
Carnival conducted for the benefit of
Christ Lutheran church to date, fol-
lows:

QUEEN	
Mrs. Worthington.....	260
Mrs. Kulon.....	48
Mrs. Richards.....	42
Mrs. J. K. Johnston.....	42
Mrs. A. Heuple.....	35
Mrs. Anthony.....	32
PRINCESS	
Miss Agnes McConnell.....	300
Miss Agnes Allen.....	200
Miss Isabella Dorbitz.....	171
Miss Nellie Kulow.....	125
Miss Rosa Vetter.....	62
Miss Bertha Anthony.....	5

Brother's Loving Taps Hard on the Face of One John

John Dassing was arrested last
night after having some trouble with
his brother, Mike, it is said, and
after having beaten the latter up.
Mike was brought to the lockup wear-
ing his face, which after the loving touch
of his brother, was washed up. The two
will be held for a hearing later.

Borlands Sale

Borlands Big Remnant Sale Friday
and Saturday August 12 and 13 will
bring the usual big crowds from all
parts of Washington county. This
sale is known far and near as the big-
gest bargain treat of the season and
will pay you to attend. Come Fri-
day morning early for best selection.
Monongahela, Pa. 11

Democrats Sore

The Democratic party in Pennsylv-
ania has begun a movement to elim-
inate all those gentlemen who took
part in the recent movement to launch
the Keystone party. Every member
of any committee, district, county
or State, who is in favor of Mr.
Berry, will be asked to resign his
position, in order to make room for
a true blue party man. It will be a
house cleaning of all the insurgents.

NOT AN EXPERIMENT

WE have passed "the new
boot stage."
WE do not experiment with
our business, nor with
your business.
WE are not incorporated for
the purpose of financing
auxiliary enterprises.
WE enjoy the distinction of
top notch quality, "that
time enduring kind."
WE respectfully solicit your
banking business on the
basis of superior strength
and experience, and as-
sure courteous, intelli-
gent treatment and close
attention to your indi-
vidual wants.

Bank of Charleroi
Capital and Surplus \$285,000

Open Saturday Evenings from 8 to
9 for the accommodation of
the public.

FOR SALE

\$4,000	7 room house, bath, pantry, hot air furnace, 2 lots, Lincoln Ave.
4,000	32 acre farm, good poultry and fruit farm, 6 room house, stable and outbuildings, new, good water, about ten acres of coal, 1-2 miles from Charle- roi, \$100 down, balance on payments.
3,500	6 room house, hot, cold water, gas, street improvements paid, Crest avenue.
3,100	6 room house, bath, gas, elec- tricity, stable in rear, McKean avenue.
3,000	5 room house and 2 lots, Fallow- field Ave.
3,000	4 room house and 2 lots Seventh street.
2,800	8 room house, easy payments, Eleventh street.
2,800	5 room house, bath, gas, water, electricity, \$50 down, \$25 per month, Lincoln avenue.
2,500	5 room house, 4 lots 6x12, 3 Shady avenue.
2,550	6 room house, all modern street improvements paid, Washing- ton avenue.
2,000	5 room house, street improve- ments paid, Washington Ave.
1,350	8 room house, large lot, \$200 down, balance \$15 per month, Lutella Avenue.
1,200	7 room house, good well, \$200 balance \$15 per month, Shady avenue.

Call and see us; we have many others.
Also lots in all parts of the town and in
Lock View at reasonable prices and
on easy terms.

Peoples Realty Co.
600 Fallowfield Ave.

Property Bargain

Will sell my place at 227 McKean
avenue consisting of 6 large rooms
and bath, front porch, cellar, stable
and all conveniences at less than
cost to me. Bringing in now \$13.00
rental per month besides my living
there, which pays your water, taxes
gas and insurance and still leaves you
a handsome balance. Reason, my
business taking me out of town.
Call at once. Easy terms. J. L.
Taylor. 2991

New Constable

James A. Lane has presented his
resignation to court as constable of
the Fourth ward, Washington. Mr.
Lane stated that on account of illness
he is unable to perform the duties of
the office. John McBride has been
appointed in his place.

ADOLPH'S Sensational \$1.11 Shoe Sale

is flying before the wind with all sails set. The first flood of buyers has now turned into a steady stream, so every one can secure prompt personal attention and a perfect fit in a \$5.00, \$4.00 or \$3.00 pair of Shoes or Oxfords for \$1.11.



As to shoe bargains---they are not bargains at all if you don't get your size. While other stores are short of sizes at this season, the vastness of our stocks assure you of finding your size here, and that too in many styles. In fact, hundreds of styles for you to make your choice from in Men's, Women's, Boys', Girls' and Children's Shoes, Oxfords and Slippers.



Women!
Look how you save! Just hand us \$1.11 and take your choice of \$3 and \$4 Shoes.



Men!
Don't fail to come. Think of a pair of \$4 and \$5.00 Shoes for \$1.11



A Few Extra Specials to Make Things Hum This Week:

300 pairs of patent ankle soft soles worth 75c, special price 9c	250 Children's Moccasins, 50c values, our special price 1c	600 pairs of Misses' and Children's barefoot sandals, size 1 to 2, 75c and \$1 values, special price 39c
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Don't forget to get in line for some of these Sensational Bargains; You'll regret it if you do.

SAMPLE SHOE STORE

"It's Adolph of Course"
502 Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of Lev. Fa. Sur. Mortgages issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, and to me directed, there will be exposed at public sale at the Sheriff's Sales Rooms, in the Court House, in the Borough of Washington, Washington County, Pa., **Saturday, the 20th day of August, 1910**, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., of said day the following described real estate, viz:

All the right title and interest of the defendants, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Washington Avenue, between Second and Third streets, fifty (50) feet from the southwest corner of Washington Avenue and Third street; thence along the westerly side of Washington Avenue, southerly the distance of fifty (50) feet; thence extending back in a westerly direction, reserving the said width of fifty (50) feet and bounded by lines parallel to said Third street to the easterly line of Lincoln Avenue, being the same lot conveyed to Harry and Katie Peyton by deed dated Oct. 13, 1902, and recorded in Deed Book 294, page 117, on which is erected a two-story frame dwelling house.

Taken in execution as the property of Harry Peyton, Katie Peyton and Sarah Jane McGowan, terre-tenant, at the suit of Charleroi Savings & Trust Company.

JOHN C. MURPHY, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa., July 26, 1910. J 27-A 3-10

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All those certain lots of ground situate in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pa., located on Meadow Avenue and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 18, 23, 22, 20 and 26, each lot fronts 40 feet on east side of Meadow Avenue; depth of lots 115 feet, rear boundary McKean Avenue, south boundary W. W. Hamilton, Sr., north boundary, Wm. Parks.

Taken in execution as the property of Joseph Hamilton, Jr., at the suit of School District of the Borough of Charleroi.

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All that certain piece of ground situate in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pa., located on the east side of Shady Avenue, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Fronting on the east side of Shady Avenue, in the Borough of Charleroi, a distance of 40 feet, and running back therefrom preserving a uniform width a distance of one hundred (100) feet, to Bigthe alley; being lot No. 80 in general plan of the Borough of Charleroi.

Taken in execution as the property of W. W. Hamilton, at the suit of Borough of Charleroi.

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RIVA'S



"Spear Brand"
SCHOOL SHOES
"Triple Tanned"

These double tanned and triple tanned shoes are made of the finest leather, and are the most comfortable and durable shoes you can buy. They are made in all sizes, and are available in all colors.

Price: \$1.25 to \$2.50

FOR SALE AT RIVA'S

DO YOU WANT A SELF-SUPPORTING OCCUPATION?

THAT WILL BE BOTH PLEASANT AND PROFITABLE? We need an energetic woman to represent us in your locality; one who can reach women who buy good dress materials.

No house to house canvassing. We furnish free to our representatives an elaborate sample line of exclusive patterns in imported and Domestic Dress Goods and Wash Fabrics such as cannot be found outside of the largest New York City stores. The wide range of selections and the dependability of the goods ensure the continued patronage of your customers and our absolute guarantee of satisfaction on "Made to Measure" skirts makes it easy to get orders. Exclusive territory given. Write TO-DAY for samples and detailed information. THE W. B. JENNINGS CO., Importers and Jobbers of Fine Dress Fabrics, 20-30 East 10th Street, New York City.

RIGHT OVER WOOD SHINGLES



CORTRIGHT METAL SHINGLES

can be laid without fuss or bother right over the old wood shingles, changing the top of your building instantly from a firecatcher to a FIREPROOF ROOF that will last as long as the building itself and never needs repairs.

For further detailed information, prices, etc., apply to Local Contractors or Roofers or Cortright Metal Roofing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

NEW STORE

We take pleasure in informing the Charleroi Public of the opening up of our new store, in which it will be our aim to merit your trade and confidence. You will find our stock strictly fresh and new, and kept so by quick turning. Our great specialties are

GROCERIES---FRUIT---TOBACCO---CIGARS

We invite you to come in and inspect our store and let us demonstrate our ability to save you money.

EVERYBODY WELCOME

JOE BRASCOE

521 McKean Ave. Charleroi

Pennsylvania Railroad

CAMP-MEETING

AT
Bentleyville, Pa.
AGUST 12 TO 21, 1910

EXCURSION TICKETS will be sold August 11 to 21, inclusive, good returning until August 31, inclusive, from Pittsburgh, Uniontown, and intermediate stations as follows:

REDUCED RATES
[Minimum fare 2 cents]

J. R. WOOD, Passenger Traffic Manager. Consult Ticket Agent, GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

Do not fail to attend the

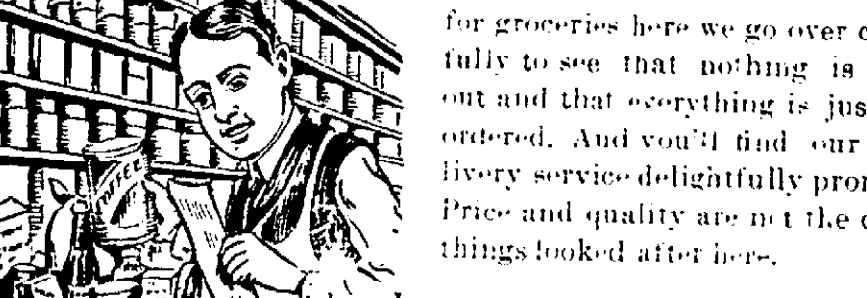
GREAT NECESSITY SALE

THE VALLEY FURNITURE EXCHANGE

Everything for your Home at cut prices

Bell Phone 34-J
473 Donner Ave., Monessen, Pa.

WHEN WE PUT UP YOUR ORDER



for groceries here we go over carefully to see that nothing is left out and that everything is just as ordered. And you'll find our delivery service delightfully prompt. Price and quality are not the only things looked after here.

CHARLEROI CITY GROCERY

Cor. Fifth and Washington, Charleroi, Pa.

WAVERLY

The Ideal Oil for either air-cooled or water-cooled machines. Distilled from Pennsylvania Crude Oil--light in color, which means absolute freedom from carbon.

WAVERLY SPECIAL is a thin oil, feeds freely through any size lubricator, and will not congeal in the coldest weather.

If you have any difficulty in obtaining **Waverly Special** from your dealer or garage, communicate with us at once and we will see that you are supplied. "Perfect lubrication without carbon deposit."

Waverly Oil Works Co.
Independent Refiners
Pittsburg, Pa.

SPECIAL AUTO

SECOND DAY OF REMNANT SALE

Thursday, August 11th

As we write this add our store is crowded with buyers, and there never was a better time to buy, hundreds of Remnants and short ends---the accumulation of the past six months. Thursday will be the second day, and we'll have a lot of remnants for Thursday. We are also running a special sale of Trimmed Hats, Ladies' Suits, White Dresses, Wash Suits and Men's Shirts. Look into this Men's Department---Boys' Clothing, Young Men's Clothing, Men's Clothing, Rompers and Children's Wash Suits, all at terrific cuts in the price---sure 'tis the time to buy. We have on sale Friday morning a Special Sale Ladies' White Under-skirts. See them in the window. The price talks---one dollar; not over two to a customer. Get here Thursday, get here Friday, Saturday or Monday and it means Big Savings for you.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

R&G CORSETS

Model B67
is very popular.

YES. AWFUL HOT!

Let Ruth do your baking for you. Home made breads and cakes.
15 McKean Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Richard Parks, Sr., Deceased.
Letters testamentary upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment and to those having claims or demands to present them for payment.
RICHARD PARKS, JR., Executor,
CHARLEROI, PA.
14-14-26-27-A-5-10

CANCER

BOOK FREE containing photographs of actual cases, with the names and addresses of cured patients in Philadelphia and vicinity furnished on request. Investigate and find out if it has been in use in this country for over thirty years and in Europe for over 100 years, and has been the means of curing many afflicted with this disease.
WITHOUT THE USE OF THE KNIFE
I am the only licensed physician in the United States using this method.
Call for examination without obligation; or write to
ROBERT A. PATTERSON, M. D.
Perry Building,
18th and Chestnut Philadelphia

Your choice of \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c. shirts for 59 cents at Berryman's Remnant Sale Wednesday. 29912

VAUGHN'S BAKERY

322 Washington Avenue,
Charleroi, Pa.
Our Specialty---Delicious Big Fat Home-Made Pies

EVERHART STUDIO

For High Class Photograph Work. Our Work Advertises Us.
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Charleroi, Pa.

THEO. J. ALLEN

SURVEYOR & CIVIL ENGINEER
534 Washington Avenue,
Charleroi, Pa.

M. J. TYLAVSKY

113 Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa.
REAL ESTATE
FIRE INSURANCE
List Your Properties with us For Sale

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busv Readers.

Master Robert and Miss Sarah Shaw of Crest avenue are visiting friends in Charleroi, Pittsburgh.

Mrs. C. M. Weltner and Mrs. A. C. McKean left yesterday for Chattanooga where they will spend several days.

75c., \$1.00 and \$1.50 shirts go at 59 cents. Berryman's Remnant Sale Wednesday August 10. 29912

Cristopher Brown, Sr., has returned from an extended trip to the east where he visited in Atlantic City, Philadelphia, New York and other places. Mrs. Brown and son are still in the east.

Mrs. A. N. Hepler and children of North Side, Pittsburgh, returned home today after a visit in Charleroi with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Haight of New Haven, Conn., are here for a visit with Mrs. Haight's sister, Mrs. Jesse K. Johnston, of Crest avenue.

Berryman's shirt sale \$1.50, \$1.00 and 75c. shirts go at 59 cents Wednesday, August 10. Just the right time to buy shirts. 29912

Mrs. H. Teitlebaum of McKean avenue left this morning for Atlantic City where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sampson have returned from Atlantic City and other points of the east where they spent two weeks.

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Mrs. C. C. Holyfield and daughter Miss Lorraine are spending the day in Donora with friends. Miss Emma Holyfield is visiting in Belle Vernon.

Mrs. William Gault of Meadow avenue is entertaining several members of the Ladies League of the Methodist church at her home this afternoon.

Mrs. Cooper Geckie is home from South Brownsville where she spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. George Smith.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL PICNIC AT BEECHWOOD

The Sunday School of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold their annual outing at Beechwood Park Thursday. A good crowd is expected to attend. The picnicers will leave on the 9 o'clock car from Fifth street.

B. and O. Begins Improvement

The Baltimore and Ohio has begun the work of grading for the second track that it plans to lay between Glenwood and Washington, Pa., and yesterday started a gang of 150 men at work in Hays borough. Another gang will be put to work at the Washington end on Thursday. The new bridge to accommodate the second track was completed at Rand on Saturday last.

Classified Ads

WANTED--A girl for general housework. White or colored. Call at 414 Fallowfield avenue. 3001f
TO LET--Five room flat. Hall and Whitlatch, Fourth and Fallowfield. 2871f

MONONGAHELA

PLACE FOR THE NEXT CONVENTION

Monongahela will get the next Firmen's convention, which has been made a tri state affair and will be held in August of 1911. This was decided at a meeting held in Carnegie yesterday during the Firemen's convention at that place.

Headed by Mayor Isler and city officials in the leading car, a big delegation of Monongahela "boosters" made the trip to Carnegie yesterday in ten automobiles. The machines were gaily decorated. National colors and Monongahela City colors were used in profusion and as the procession swept through the streets and out of the city the mayor and his train were given a rousing sendoff.

Monongahela firemen and the city will immediately begin preparations for entertaining firemen and their friends for an entire week during next August.

ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AS BENEFIT FOR M. E. CHURCH

Under the auspices of the Ladies League of the Methodist Episcopal church last night at School Hall was given an entertainment in the shape of a three act play, "Roger Proctor." The play was the story of a blind lover. The following took part in the play: Mrs. Cary Fisher, Mrs. Clarence Welch, Mrs. William Hughes, W. H. Reese, Frank By and L. H. Goehring. All handled their parts well. As extra features were introduced a selection by the M. E. choir, a vocal solo by A. H. Bosson, piano solos by Miss Elma Lites and Earl Nickolson, and recitations by Miss Dessie Blaker. The affair was given as a benefit, the object being to raise money for the purpose of paying the balance due on a rug for the Sunday school room of the church.

COURT HANDS DOWN DECREE RESTRAINING GAS COMPANY TO ACT

In the equity proceedings of the Citizens Gas company the county court has handed down a decree perpetually enjoining and restraining the defendant from tearing up, destroying or in any manner interfering with the pipe lines of the gas company, as the same are now laid under the tracks and roadbed of the defendant company at its grade crossing on Gregg street, Monongahela. In the event the defendant company should at any time lay additional tracks at the grade crossing of Gregg street, the gas company shall be required to extend through and under such additional tracks and roadbeds as shall be built, the 6 5/8 inch iron pipe which surrounds and forms the shield around its 4 inch gas carrying line, as now constructed at the grade crossing to such distances as shall be reasonably required to clear the additional tracks and roadbeds, upon notice from the Pennsylvania Railroad company.

SPEEDY HORSES

FOR RACE MEET AT BELLE VERNON

The Belle Vernon Driving Park Association has announced the dates for the annual race at the Belle Vernon track as Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 24, 25, and 26. About fourteen head of horses are already at the track, having their daily try-outs and word has arrived by Secretary Allen that a car load of the best horses in Ohio will arrive this week.

This meet will follow directly after the Morgantown races and the best horses now entered at the Dawson races this week and which go to Morgantown will be seen on the Cook track, so that the promoters have no fear of there being a scarcity of good stock present.

Miners Seek to Enlist Aid of the Governor

Governor Stuart in response to an appeal from a delegation of miners asking his intervention in the miners' strike in the Irwin field and also to urge the recall of the State police, informed his visitors that he had no authority under the law to appoint a commission to settle the strike. As for the State police, they had been summoned by the Sheriff of Westmoreland county, who was the responsible official in the matter. The special committee composed of Miles Dougherty, member of International Executive Board from District No. 9; Francis Feehan, president of Pittsburgh District No. 5; Thomas Fagan, president of the Madison local of the Pittsburgh district; Jope Littlewood, president of the Greensburg local and George Thompson, president of the Latrobe local.

Christian Sunday School Will Hold Picnic in Grove

The Sunday school of the First Christian church will hold their picnic Thursday in Seers Grove, near the borough. The members of the Sunday school will be taken to the grove in a wagon which leaves the church at 8:30 o'clock in the morning.

Husband Precedes Wife to Grave by Just Few Months

Mrs. Bridget Kilroy, 67 years old, the proprietress of the Kilroy Hotel, at Monessen, died at 10:30 o'clock last night at her home after suffering for an hour of paralysis. Six children survive. Mrs. Kilroy's husband, John Kilroy, died last November. The family is well known in this section. They formerly lived in Charleroi.

Krepps

Howard, the 11 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Krepps died at the home of his parents, 208 McKean avenue yesterday. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon and interment will be in the Belle Vernon cemetery.

A MONEY SAVING SALE

There are just two ways of saving money on Shoes and only two. One way is to pay the price you have always paid and get better Shoes. The other way is to buy the same Shoes you have always bought but pay a great deal less for them.

This You Can Do Here Now

Our Semi-Annual Shoe Clearance Sale is now on and we shall force out of our store by cut prices, every dollar's worth of stock we possibly can.

MEN'S OXFORDS

\$6.00 and \$5.50 kind now.....\$3.95
4.50 and 4.00 kind now.....3.15
3.50 kind now.....2.65
3.00 kind now.....2.40
Odds and ends in \$5, \$5.50 and \$6 Nettleton and Stetson Oxfords in black or tan Russia calf and patent calf at.....\$2.85
Odds and ends in \$4 men's Walk-Over oxfords in wax calf, patent calf and tan, blucher hals or button, mostly narrow toes, reduced to.....\$1.00

Children's white canvas button shoes and ties.....39c
Infants' white and pink canvas ties, hard soles, sizes 1 to 4, 50c kind now.....1.19c

WOMEN'S OXFORDS AND PUMPS

\$4.00 and \$3.50 kind now.....\$2.98
3.00 kind now.....2.48
2.50 kind now.....1.98
2.00 kind now.....1.48
3.00 white canvas oxfords now.....1.68
2.50 white canvas oxfords now.....1.45
2.00 white canvas oxfords now......95
1.50 white canvas oxfords now......50
1.25 white canvas oxfords now......39

Boys' and Girls' Oxfords

\$2.50 kind now.....\$1.98
2.00 kind now.....1.48
1.50 kind now......98
1.25 kind now......58
1.00 kind now......39

Come early or you may not be able to get your share at this great bargain feast.

Remember it's the Legitimate Big
Shoe Store on McKean Avenue

Louis Beigel
FOR GOOD SHOES
419 MCKEAN AVE.

THE CHARLEROI MAIL

Entered second class mail at Charleroi, June 15, 1900, according to Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1910.

One Cent

BOATMAN OF COAL COMPANY DROWNED IN MONONGAHELA

Charles Smith Meets Death Near the Tremont Mines.

THE BODY IS RECOVERED

Coroner is Notified and Will Make Investigations Into Case.

Charles Smith, a well known Allenport man was accidentally drowned in the river at the Tremont mines last evening when he fell from a barge. The body was recovered a short while after the accident by William Dinsmore, who dove under a barge to secure it.

Smith who is about 30 years old is employed as a boatman by the River Coal company at the Tremont mines. He was off duty each night at 6 o'clock and it was his custom to wash up and change clothes before going home. He was not seen after he left work last evening, but it is supposed that he was washing as usual from a barge, and in bending over lost his balance and fell into deep water, from which he was unable to get out.

Duncan Carothers works the turn after Smith, and they both use the same boat in crossing the river. Carothers going to the river to cross did not find the boat waiting, and secured another. His suspicions were aroused, and when he landed on the opposite shore started out to learn something of his fellow workman, to happen upon his work clothes on the barge. He surmised at once that the man had been drowned, and called for aid. Search was made for the body and in a short time it was recovered and taken home.

Smith is survived by his widow in Allenport. He was held in high esteem by his fellow workmen and acquaintances. The coroner has been notified and will make investigations into the drowning.

DROVE FOR EXPRESS COMPANY EIGHT DAYS; TOOK MONEY AND LEFT

Attributing his downfall to liquor, Caire Johnson, a driver for the Adams Express company at Donora, entered a plea to appropriating \$34.85 of the funds of the company in court yesterday. Johnson had been in the employ of the company only eight days. He stated that the morning he went to work the agent of the company invited him to take a drink, and he accepted. The practice was kept up during the week and when Saturday night rolled round, he spent all the money he had collected for the company on a spree. He skipped out and went to Youngstown, O., where he was arrested on August 5. The court directed him to pay the costs, a fine of \$20 and to restore the stolen money and to undergo imprisonment in the workhouse for a period of six months.

Will Erect New School

At a meeting of the Carroll town ship school board, held Monday evening, it was decided to build a 4 room brick school building at West Monongahela. It is said the citizens will be satisfied with the site and will not take up threatened proceedings against the board.

Company A Detail Will Prepare Camp

Tenth Regiment Will go to Gettysburg Encampment This Week.

A detail of Company A Tenth regiment leaves this afternoon for Pittsburg, to be joined by details of other companies going there to Gettysburg to begin the work of preparing the camps for the arrival of the regiment Friday morning. It is expected that the Tenth regiment will attend with a full quota of companies and officers. Company A will leave Monongahela tomorrow afternoon.

MINERS ENTER GUILT PLEAS

Two Sentenced to Pay Costs and Fines for Violations.

INSPECTOR PROSECUTOR

Two mine officials who were indicted by the grand jury for violations of the mining laws threw themselves upon the mercy of the court yesterday. The defendants were John E. Leonard, mine superintendent of the Kinder mine of the Warner-Leonard Coal company, near West Brownsville, and George Robson, mine foreman of the same mine. The indictment against Leonard contained ten counts, and six counts were charged up to Robson. F. W. Cunningham of Charleroi, state mine inspector, was the prosecutor in both cases. The defendants were sentenced by Judge J. F. Taylor to pay costs and fines of \$25.

Leonard was charged with failing to provide safety switches, shelter holes, an anemometer, proper openings, convenient stairs and for neglecting to keep record of ventilating pressure, failing to post copies of mine laws, plan of mines and for neglecting to call attention of the miners to the rules governing operators. Robson was charged with failure to provide safety blocks, shelter holes, neglecting to measure air, permitting more than 20 men to work in the mine not in communication with two air openings and failing to provide a stairway in second opening.

BRICK COMPANY TO BE DISSOLVED

A petition was presented to court yesterday for the dissolution of the Charleroi Brick works. The plant is located at North Charleroi. A majority of the stockholders at a meeting held on September 22, 1909, resolved to apply to the court for a decree of dissolution of the corporation. The corporation has no debts or liabilities whatever. The petition will be heard by the court on September 5 at 10 o'clock.

Eugene Fau and daughter Miss Mary left this morning for an extended trip to the east.

NORTH CHARLEROI PAYS DAMAGES OF 52 CENTS

Councilmen Dig Down in Pockets to Get Amount Asked by Woman as Result of Alleged Wrong Assessment.

Members of the North Charleroi council-at an adjourned meeting held Monday evening, dug down in their pockets to contribute to a fund of 52 cents claimed as damages by a woman residing on Lincoln avenue as a result of an alleged wrong paving assessment. Each member of council was called upon and pennies and nickels were pulled forth.

Not long ago Lincoln avenue was paved. Some of the property owners claimed right assessments were not made, and Monday night appeared to seriously discuss the matter with council. Finally the total damage

claim was brought down to 52 cents, this amount for one person, on a matter of about an inch of paving. Thereupon council to settle all grievances unparliamentarily decided to make up the deficiency by individual contributions, and suited their action to the word.

An ordinance for the laying of sidewalks on Lincoln avenue passed third reading. A number of bills were ordered paid. Council adjourned after according to parliamentary rules, being in session since last week, when a meeting was unceremoniously adjourned by the blowing of the fire whistle.

ALLEGED BASEBALL GAME WILL BE SIGNAL FOR HAS-BEENS TO GET BUSY

Benefit Affair for Monessen-Charleroi Hospital Promises to be Something Decidedly Interesting.

CAPTAIN SAM TODD HAS ABOUT PICKED HIS BUNCH

Such a motley gathering of has-beens and would-be constellations in the baseball world as will lineup for the alleged struggle in the nature of a baseball game August 16 would be hard to find. The alleged game is to come off between the Elk and the Eagle teams.

As baseball players the members of the teams beggar description. Sam Todd is going to pitch—that is he is going to occupy the heaver's position in the center of the diamond and exhibit his gracefulness in an everlasting effort to lay the ball over the plate. Sam talks considerable about the game and says it is a shame to put in such good players against "The Birds," as Kerfoot Daly, Pierce Ferguson and Merlin McCloskey. It's too much like taking candy from a kid he says, and if it wasn't that the gate receipts went for the hospital, he would let the second nine play.

Still he don't care a doggone if the Eagles do get beat, so he is going to

play Tom Hastings on short. Bob Vetter at first, Tom Eagye on second and Postmaster J. E. McCordle at third. Henry Sheets is expected to umpire. In right field Eli Williams will cast his brilliant reflector, and if practice goes for anything he will make good with a vengeance, for he played there 42 years ago.

Great things are expected of Charley Bateman, who of late has been practicing on home runs. Todd thinks that Judge Jenkins ought to make a good player as he has learned how to make doubles and singles. Lou Mitchell has been drafted because of his superior hitting ability, but Sam has not decided on his left fielder. Apparently this position will be contested for by Eddie Hastings and Willie Jameson, although Todd would much prefer a left handed man. For a reserve John K. Tener will be held. In fact he will be reserved so much that he will never get near the ball field.

COAL COMPANY BUILDS OFFICE

Bungalow Structure of Charleroi Coal Company Near Ready for Occupancy.

The Charleroi Coal company is about completing the construction of a bungalow office building on McKean avenue, a short distance south of the tippie. The roof is to be put on yet and some other incidental work is to be done, but it is expected it will be ready for occupancy within a month. The coal company is doing the work for itself not letting out any contracts. The structure which is built of brick and stone, contains four rooms, one of which will be for the superintendent's office, and the others for the various clerks and office employees. The building adds considerably to the appearance of McKean avenue at that portion of the borough.

WILL NOT PAY AT THE END OF WEEK

The River Coal company has announced that in the Fourth pool the pay days will hereafter take place on the 10th and 25th of each month, in place of Saturdays, as heretofore. These same dates have prevailed in this pool for some time and the results have been satisfactory, so much so that it is all probability these dates will remain fixed for that purpose.

Fever Epidemic

Connellsville is suffering from an epidemic of typhoid fever, ten cases and one death having been reported within the past few days. The water is blamed, and the board of health has issued instructions to boil it.

DISASTER ATTENDS JOY RIDE OF BOYS

Two Young Fellows Alleged to Have Appropriated Machine.

As the result of an escapade in which two boys about 18 years old and an automobile figured, Walter Clark and William Kinnig of North Belle Vernon were held for court this morning on charges of forcible entry and malicious mischief under \$500 bail and were each fined \$10 and costs for running an automobile without the owners consent.

The story told is that the boys went to an automobile garage in Monessen Sunday night, broke in, and took therefrom the Mitchell car of D. Farquhar. They then drove to the Monessen-Charleroi bridge it is said, met some girls and came to Charleroi, where they rode around. The girls were let out and the young fellows took a trip to the end of the new road. Upon their return they ran into a cow and before they got the machine back to Monessen, it is stated, was badly used up. Information was made against them and they were arrested yesterday.

Campers Leave

Robert McGowan, Norvan Kistler, Herbert Jacobs, Charles Jones, Kirke McLain, and Donald Allen formed the Charleroi Camera Club which left this morning in McGowan's yacht for above Fairmont, W. Va., where they will camp out for a week or ten days. Fishing will form apart of the diversions of the campers.

75c. \$1.00 and 1.50 shirts go at 59 cents. Berryman's Remnant Sale. Wednesday, August 10. 29462

GOOD RAIN CUTS SHORT MUCH FEARED DROUGHT

Charleroi Paper Is One Among 200

Commonwealth Chooses Mirror as One Publication for State Advertising.

Of the 200 newspapers in the state of Pennsylvania selected to print the advertisement of the four constitutional amendments that are to be considered the second print by the Legislature in 1911 the Charleroi Mirror was one. The order was received from the state department a few days ago and this week the first insertion will be made. They are to be printed in the 200 newspapers 13 times between now and the November election.

ASKING FOR BOND ISSUE

Petition Being Circulated by Monongahela Citizens.

IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED

A petition is being circulated among the citizens of Monongahela to be presented later to council, asking that they take the initiative in the way of providing for the submission of the question of a bond issue to the people of the city, the proceeds to be used for the permanent repair of certain street terminals.

It is proposed that the proceeds of the bond issue be used for the permanent repair of East Main street, West Chess street and such other highways in the city limits as connect with improved roads now leading to the city.

The county and state will have expended about \$180,000 in improving the roads leading to Monongahela when existing and contemplated contracts have been completed.

Monessen has bond indebtedness, borough and school \$403,000.00 with \$27,000.00 floating debt. Charleroi has 246,000.00, Donora, \$247,000.00. Monongahela now has \$67,000.00 school and \$54,000.00 city. It has a margin now to issue \$114,000.00 more of city bonds.

FIRST LEAGUE TO MAKE MONEY

Something Over \$400 in Treasury of Church Organization.

The first money making baseball league that ever existed in Charleroi was the Charleroi Church Baseball league according to a report made by Treasurer C. S. McKean last night at a meeting of the Board of Managers. There is something over \$400 in the treasury. Of this amount was voted \$45 to be given to each church team and a balance of \$87 to remain in the treasury.

Crops Saved by Down-Pour Last Night and Today.

CONDITIONS IN THE WEST

Land Owners Suffer in Other States From Lack of Sufficient Moisture

Seldom was a rain more generally welcomed than that of last night and this morning and from it the growing grain according to one prominent Fallowfield township farmer, from a decidedly peaked appearance, has brightened up until a good crop is indicated in spite of the little dry weather. Yesterday the effects of the long spell of dryness showed most plainly on the corn and other crops. The leaves of the corn were beginning to sort of curl and present a dead appearance.

The rain of last Sunday was too light to do much benefit, but last night and this morning's rain was a good one, and just the kind that was most needed.

John Rodgers, Esq., of Fallowfield township said this morning that the crops might turn out better than anticipated if the weather is right from this time forth. The present rain he said, has done lots of good especially to the corn but did not come in time to make the early crop a good one. The late crop of corn promises to be good.

In the west conditions are the same, according to the newspapers. There the drought was of about the same duration as the one through which this section has just passed, and considerable damage was done to the larger farms as a result.

Methodists Will Enjoy Outing at Eldora Friday

The Methodist Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at Eldora park on Friday August 12. All members of the school and church and any friends of the Sunday school are cordially invited to go along. Throw off the cares of the day and enjoy a day's outing at the popular pleasure resort.

All children of the school under 14 years of age are requested to meet at the church on Friday morning at 8:15 to procure their free tickets for transportation to the park and for park amusements. There will be games and sports of all kinds. In order to fully carry out plans for the outing the following committees have been appointed who will have full charge of the picnic.

Committee on tickets—E. R. Abell. Tagging Baskets—Mac Jamison, Robert Hudspeth, Warren True. Transportation—D. H. Glunt, H. J. Booth, Percy Pollock. Refreshments—Mrs. C. A. Fisher, Mrs. Samuel Pardoe, Mrs. Maud Slaughter, Mrs. Jas. Dunlap, Miss Mary Glunt. Amusements—Miss Edith Hazlett, Miss Mildred Lowstutter, Mrs. Frank Welsh, Lambert Henton, Emanuel Pardoe, B. E. Wilson, Parce Pollock, W. D. Pollock.

Mrs. Robert Murray is home after spending a few days with Mrs. George Smith of South Brownsville.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Worth Every Effort

Some may say what's the use of saving money—why not enjoy it and have a good time?

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Aug. 10 in American History.

1814—William Lowndes Yancy, noted
southern leader, born; died 1882.
1861—Battle of Wilson Creek, Mo., and
tragic death in action of General
Nathaniel Lyon, U. S. A.
1888—Adah Isaac Menken, noted ac-
tress and equestrienne, died in
Paris; born in New Orleans 1835.
1888—James W. Marshall, discoverer
of gold in California, died; born
1812.
1908—Louise Chandler Moulton, au-
thor, died; born 1828.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:01, rises 5:02; moon sets
2:57 p. m.; planets Venus and Ne-
ptune in conjunction in constellation
Gemini; sun's declination, 15 degrees
34 minutes north of celestial equator;
A. D. 1675, Greenwich observatory be-
gan; maximum of Perseid meteors
throughout the night, beginning in
northeast at about 9 p. m.

Apostles of the Impossible

In these days we believe every-
thing is possible, says the Philadel-
phia Star.

As usual we are wrong.

Every day some one is proving to
us our error. If this were not true
we would be wasting much of our
time and thought on dreams and plans
of impossible things, and occupying
much more time than necessary to
discover the right way to do things.

An aeroplanist is killed; his theories
were wrong.

Zeppelin's airships and gas plants
are wiped out in accidents; his
schemes were too elaborate.

A rich man dies, unhappy, proving
that wealth does not bring peace.

A man dies a drunkard, proving
that it is impossible for a liberal user
of alcohol to succeed in life.

We fear at the unhappy airmen and
have scorn for the mean rich man and
the drunkard. But have they not
pointed out to us the things that are
impossible? It is not important that
we know what is impossible as well
as what is possible? And have they
not shown us the wrong way so that
we may avoid it?

They are the apostles of the im-
possible, these men who seem to fail.
What a sad, lonely trail they have
blazed back through the pages of his-
tory.

And what a tremendous benefit
they have been to the world, these
men who were marked by fate to
show the world what was the wrong
way—what was the path to avoid.

Postal Savings Bank

Advices from Washington are to
the effect that the postal savings
bank system, recently authorized by
Congress, is a popular one. Already
390 postmasters and 923 banks have
written to Postmaster General Hitch-
cock. The postmaster asked that
their offices be designated as postal
savings banks, and the banks re-
quested that they be named as deposi-
tories for postal funds.

From every state and territory,
except Arizona, Delaware, the Dis-
trict of Columbia, Nevada and Rhode
Island, applications have been made

by postmasters and only Delaware,
Nevada and Utah bankers have failed
to ask for deposits from the fund to
be accumulated. Only Delaware and
Nevada have failed to be represented
by either postmasters or banks in the
making of such requests.

The greatest interest in the new
institution has been shown in the state
of Pennsylvania, where came 34 re-
quests from postmasters and 102 re-
quests from banks. Among the
southern states, Texas takes the lead
in the matter of interest in the new
system, 30 postmasters and 39 banks
of that state having written to Mr.
Hitchcock in reference to the new
postal banks.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The men who brings home ice cream
has nothing on that personage who
when he gets home has a frost wait-
ing on him.

When the women get to smoking
they may expect to be confronted with
such signs as "ladies, do not spit on
the floor" etc., and to hear a woman
with more of her husband's wealth
than beauty and sense loudly demand-
ing Lillian to kick the spittoon over
her way, should occasion no surprise.

At last the doll of the lover's heart
has been found. It is an envelope
that cannot be opened without un-
mistakable signs being left of its
having been tampered with.

The young West Point graduates
who took a trip up the alley to study
the lock and dam system, probably
thought more about this being a rich
valley than the fact that Braddock
marched down along its shores.

The court in instructing the con-
stable to see that finger boards are
supplied where they are needed, should
not have neglected to add that it was
not necessary to so point out the
Washington booze joints—they are al-
ready too well known.

More Echoes From Eden

Whatever trouble Adam had,
No man could make him sore
By saying, when he told a jest,
"I've heard that joke before."
—Success Magazine.

Whatever troubles Adam had,
He never had bad dreams,
That come from resting. All you're
mad
For a pair of tailend teams.
—St. Louis Times.

Whatever troubles Adam had,
It's safe enough to bet
The old man never ran afoot
A husky suffragette
—New Castle Herald.

In planning for the marriage of one
of the daughters of the house, it is
always best to confer with the cook
about the day, otherwise she might
happen to want the selected time for
her day off.

When there are two marriageable
daughters in a household, and only
one porch swing, there is bound to be
some domestic infelicity.

When any person comes around to
clean out the office for some alleged
insult is to be hoped that all the
office fraternity are there to see the
event pulled off.

PRESERVING ROADS

Those who are charged with the
preservation of the good roads should
read a recent bulletin issued by the
United States department of agricul-
ture. It gives interesting facts:

Experiments were made during the
summer of 1909 at Washington, D.
C.; Youngstown, Ohio, and Ithaca,
N. Y. with different preparations for
the prevention of dust and the preser-
vation of roads.

At Washington, waste sulphite
liquor was used on a macadam drive-
way subjected to light traffic. Sulphite
liquor is a dense, sticky liquid
produced in the manufacture of wood
pulp. It was applied in mixtures
with water in varying proportions.
The results show that it has but little
value as a permanent road treatment,
but that in concentrated form it may
be classed as a temporary or semi-
permanent dust preventive and road
mender.

At Youngstown blast furnace slag
was used alone and in different com-
binations with lime, sulphite liquor
and tar to determine the best method
of utilizing slag for road construction.
While sufficient time has not elapsed
since these experiments were made to
show definite and permanent results,
it is believed that they will be valu-

able in determining what combinations
will produce the best road.

At Ithaca, tar, oil, artificial asphalt
preparations, brick, cement and slag
were used with varying results.

All of these experiments are fully
described, with results produced in
each case, and a report on experi-
ments formerly made, in circular 98
of the office of public roads, United
States department of agriculture.—
Urbino Express.

Pottery and Secrecy.

In the royal manufacture of pottery
at Meissen, Saxony, the work was for-
merly carried on with the utmost se-
crecy to prevent the processes from
becoming known elsewhere. The es-
tablishment was a complete fortress,
the portcullis of which was not raised
day or night, no stranger being per-
mitted to enter for any purpose what-
ever. Every workman, even the chief
inspector, was sworn to silence. This
injunction was formerly repeated every
month to the superior officers employ-
ed, while the workmen had constantly
before their eyes in large letters the
warning motto, "The Secret Unto
Death." It was well known that any
person guilty of giving information to
imprisoned for life in the castle of
Koenigsstein. Even the king himself
when he took strangers of distinction
to visit the works was obliged to se-
crecy. One of the workmen, however,
escaped and assisted in establishing a
manufacture in Vienna, from which
the secrets spread all over Germany.

Her Diamond Necklace.

Brown is a very curious man. He is
superlatively careful. So careful is he
that he has insured his insurance
money.

Now Brown has a wife. Wives have
to be given birthday presents, and on
his wife's first birthday after their
marriage he gave her a beautiful dia-
mond necklace. This was not as reck-
less as you might think, for each stone
on the necklace represented a year of
Mrs. Brown's life, and he let every one
know that. And he arranged to give
Mrs. Brown a new diamond each
birthday. And he let the neighbors
know that too.

He has just missed giving his wife a
birthday present for the ninth succes-
sive year.

As to when greed will conquer pride
and his wife will ask for another birth-
day present, we shall have to wait and
see.—Pearson's.

The Salt Charm Failed.

Some three years before the Franco-
German war broke out Count Secken-
dorff accompanied King William I. on
his visit to Napoleon III. and was
present at the celebrated déjeuner given
in the Pavillon de Diane at Fon-
tainebleau. King William, who was
sitting next the empress, was asked
by her to pass the salt, and in comply-
ing with this request he threw a little
salt over his shoulder. Upon the em-
press exclaiming, "Why do you do
that?" the king explained that in his
country it was the custom to do so
when passing the salt to ward off bad
luck and any chance of a quarrel. The
empress in a prettily turned speech at
once replied, "But surely there is no
danger of anything interfering with
our friendship." In less than three
years the Germans had crossed the
Rhine.—London Spectator.

Why Not Pass the Plate?

They ought to pass the plate at
church weddings. It comes natural to
do it in church, and to do so would
add a pretty and useful employment to
the duties of the ushers, who always
have a little spare time before the
bride arrives. And, really, getting
married is more expensive than ever,
and though wedding presents are ex-
cellent in their way, what the young
people usually need the most is cash.
Instead of the list of gifts which the
newspapers sometimes print we should
read, "The collection yielded \$4,000-
000." That would be nice. It is much
easier to store and care for money
than plate and glass! And money al-
ways fits and there is no such thing as
an embarrassing duplication of dollars.
—Life.

He Saved the Patent Office.

When in the war of 1812 the British,
who had taken Washington, trained
their guns upon the patent office. Dr.
Thornton, throwing himself directly
before the guns, cried:
"Are you Englishmen or Goths and
Vandals? This is the patent office—a
depository of the ingenuity and inven-
tions of the American nation. In which
the whole civilized world is interested.
Would you destroy it? Then let the
charge pass through my body."
And the building was spared. Twen-
ty-four years afterward, however, it
was destroyed by fire, together with
everything in it.

HIS VOCABULARY.

It Was Real Literary, According to the
Wily Stenographer.

The beautiful typewriter girl puffed
out her golden pompadour nervously,
says the Philadelphia Bulletin. "My
speed 'll increase, Mr. Meer—excuse
me, Wellington—my speed 'll increase
30 to 40 per cent every day."

Brother Wellington frowned. The
girl had taken his dictation slowly
and in a stertorous, staccato voice he said,
"How so?"
"It's your new vocabulary that puts
me out," she explained. "I had Mr.
Meer's vocabulary very pat—as per,
'contents noted,' 'the same'—he only
used about 300 words." Her flatter-
ing smile warmed the man like a sun-
beam. "But you, sir, have a real lit-
erary style. Beg to submit, 'our best
attention,' 'slump,' 'bullish,' 'hypothe-
cise'—they're all new words to me."

Every woman should read this advertisement through

New Features for the Ladies' Home Journal

Beginning with the September 1 issue (appearing Aug. 25)
the most popular of monthly magazines will start
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PRICE PER YEAR ONLY \$1.50
and 10c per single copy instead of 15c

The Curtis Publishing Company by this wise
move takes a decided step ahead and bids fair to
double its circulation thereby.

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all the first year's twenty-four numbers, complete
for only \$1.50.

Geo. Might, 509 McKean Avenue,
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and of course I can't rattle them off
very fast at first. But just you wait,
say, till day after tomorrow. Then
you'll see."

"All business men have different vo-
cabularies that their stenographers
must get accustomed to, eh?" said the
broker.

"Yes, sir; some large, some small."
Again her smile flattered him. "Yours
is larger than most. I should say it
was thirty or forty words larger. Real
literary, I call it."

"Miss Hoskins, if there's—er—any
supplies you need all you've got to do
is ask," said the literary broker fran-
cously.

TRIFLES THAT COUNT.

To skim grease from soup in a hurry
use square sheets of clean tissue pa-
per on the surface of the soup. Lay
them on one at a time. Lift off lightly,
and every bit of fat comes off.

Being that has not boiled long enough
can be put back on the fire after it
has been mixed in the white of egg
provided an asbestos mat is used be-
neath.

Do not wear a winter suit that must
do duty another season too late in the
spring. It is more economical to buy
a cheap lightweight suit rather than
risk the dust and general shabbiness
of wearing a good cloth one on hot
days.

A box of clean sand kept in the
kitchen will be found excellent for
lastly cleaning of blackened pots, pans
and rusty knives.

When the handles have pulled out
of the lids of pots or pans cut a spec-
ial half and fasten it to the lid with
a screw and nut.

Glass shelves and towel rods in a
bathroom save the time and temper of
the cleaner. The chief objection to
these fixtures is the cost. If one
watches marked down sales they can
often be picked up at half price.

A delightful fragrance that is not
oppressive can be given a sickroom
by putting a little eucalyptus in a saucer
and setting fire to it.

The Onion Dodge.

"Incredible as it may seem," said the
detective, "there are many shoplifters
who steal by the agency of the onion.
These men, before setting out upon
their contemplated crimes, eat of raw
onions abundantly. Then they stroll
into the silversmith's or the haberdash-
er's or the jeweler's that they propose
to rob.
"Show me those large solitaires sur-
rounded with pigeon blood rubies,
please," says the jewel thief.
"The clerk brings forth the tray of
gems and, bending over it, the thief
studies with admiration. His face close
to the clerk's, he sighs again. And the
clerk's nostrils quiver, and he turns
away his head. The inspection of the
diamonds continues for some minutes.
Throughout it the thief keeps breath-
ing hard, the clerk keeps turning his
head away, and hence it is no wonder
if the day's end, that a couple of costly
gems are missing."—New York Press.

Page Boat Excursion

The Page Athletic Association of
Monessen have chartered the Steamer
Island Queen for a trip up the river
to Rices' Landing and return on
August 27, 1910. No gambling or
intoxicants allowed. Lunch stand on
the boat. Dancing afternoon and
evening free. All are cordially in-
vited. Tickets 50 cents, children
5 to 12, 25 cents. Tickets on sale at
Piper's Drug Store. Boat leaves
wharf at CharleROI 10 a. m. returning
about 11 p. m.

A Great Newspaper

The greatest publication in America
by all odds is the New York Sunday
World. Besides over four hundred
columns of reading matter and adver-
tising, it gives with every Sunday's
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The results of the queen and prin-
cess contests in connection with Block
Carnival conducted for the benefit of
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lows:

QUEEN
Mrs. Worthington.....260
Mrs. Enlon.....43
Mrs. Richards.....42
Mrs. J. K. Johnston.....42
Mrs. A. Heuple.....35
Mrs. Anthony.....32

PRINCESS
Miss Doris McConell.....355
Miss Agness Allen.....200
Miss Isabella Dorbitz.....171
Miss Nellie Kulow.....125
Miss Rosa Vetter.....62
Miss Bertha Anthony.....5

Brother's Loving Taps Hard on the Face of One John

John Dessing was arrested last
night after having some trouble with
his brother, Mike, it is said, and
after having beaten the latter up.
Mike was brought to the lockup were
his face, which after the loving touch
of his brother, resembled a piece of
beef steak, was washed up. The two
will be held for a hearing later.

Borlands Sale

Borelands Big Remnant Sale Friday
and Saturday August 12 and 13 will
bring the usual big crowds from all
parts of Washington county. This
sale is known far and near as the big-
gest bargain treat of the season and
will pay you to attend. Come Fri-
day morning early for best selection.
Monongahela, Pa.

Democrats Sore

The Democratic party in Pennsylv-
ania has begun a movement to elim-
inate all those gentlemen who took
part in the recent movement to launch
the Keystone party. Every member
of any committee, district, county
or State, who is in favor of Mr.
Berry, will be asked to resign his
position, in order to make room for
a true blue party man. It will be a
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ROI, \$100 down, balance on payments.
3,500 8 room house, hot, cold water,
gas, street improvements paid,
Crest Avenue.
3,100 8 room house, bath, gas, elec-
tricity, stable in rear, McKean
Avenue.
3,000 5 room house and 2 lots, Follow-
field Ave.
3,000 4 room house and 2 lots, Seventh
Street.
2,800 8 room house, easy payments,
Eleventh Street, and
2,800 5 room house, bath, gas, water,
electricity, \$500 down, \$25 per
month, Lincoln Avenue.
2,500 5 room house, 4 lots and 120,
Sundown Avenue.
2,550 4 room house, all modern street
improvements paid, Washing-
ton Avenue.
2,000 5 room house, street improve-
ments paid, Washington Ave.
1,350 6 room house, large lot, \$200
down, balance \$15 per month,
Luella Avenue.
1,200 6 room house, good well, \$200
balance \$15 per month, Shady
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cost to me. Bringing in now \$13.00
rental per month besides my living
there, which pays your water, taxes
gas and insurance and still leaves you
a handsome balance. Reason, my
business taking me out of town.
Call at once. Easy terms. J. L.
Taylor, 299tf

New Constable

James A. Lane has presented his
resignation to court as constable of
the Fourth ward, Washington. Mr.
Lane stated that on account of illness
he is unable to perform the duties of
the office. John McBride has been
appointed in his place.

SECOND DAY OF REMNANT SALE

Thursday, August 11th

As we write this add our store is crowded with buyers, and there never was a better time to buy, hundreds of Remnants and short ends--the accumulation of the past six months. Thursday will be the second day, and we'll have a lot of remnants for Thursday. We are also running a special sale of Trimmed Hats, Ladies' Suits, White Dresses, Wash Suits and Men's Shirts. Look into this Men's Department--Boys' Clothing, Young Men's Clothing, Men's Clothing, Rompers and Children's Wash Suits, all at terrific cuts in the price--sure 'tis the time to buy. We have on sale Friday morning a Special Sale Ladies' White Under-skirts. See them in the window. The price talks--one dollar; not over two to a customer. Get here Thursday, get here Friday, Saturday or Monday and it means Big Savings for you.

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CHARLEROI, PA.
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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Master Robert and Miss Sarah Shaw of Crest avenue are visiting friends in Charleroi, Pittsburg.

Mrs. C. N. Weltner and Mrs. A. C. McKean left yesterday for Chattanooga where they will spend several days.

75c., \$1.00 and \$1.50 shirts go at 59 cents. Berryman's Remnant Sale Wednesday August 10. 25912

Christopher Brown, Sr., has returned from an extended trip to the east where he visited in Atlantic City, Philadelphia, New York and other places. Mrs. Brown and son are still in the east.

Mrs. A. N. Hepler and children of North Side, Pittsburg, returned home today after a visit in Charleroi with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Haight of New Haven, Conn., are here for a visit with Mrs. Haight's sister, Mrs. Jesse K. Johnston, of Crest avenue.

Berryman's shirt sale \$1.50, \$1.00 and 75c. shirts go at 59 cents Wednesday, August 10. Just the right time to buy shirts. 25912

Mrs. H. Teitlebaum of McKean avenue left this morning for Atlantic City where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sampson have returned from Atlantic City and other points of the east where they spent two weeks.

Your choice of \$1.50 \$1.00, 75 cent shirts for 59 cents at Berryman's Remnant Sale Wednesday. 25912

Mrs. C. C. Holyfield and daughter Miss Lorraine are spending the day in Donora with friends. Miss Erma Holyfield is visiting in Belle Vernon.

Mrs. William Gault of Meadow avenue is entertaining several members of the Ladies League of the Methodist church at her home this afternoon.

Mrs. Cooper Geckie is home from South Brownsville where she spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. George Smith.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL PICNIC AT BEECHWOOD

The Sunday School of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold their annual outing at Beechwood Park Thursday. A good crowd is expected to attend. The picnic will leave on the 9 o'clock car from Fifth street.

B. and O. Begins Improvement

The Baltimore and Ohio has begun the work of grading for the second track that it plans to lay between Glenwood and Washington, Pa., and yesterday started a gang of 150 men at work in Hays borough. Another gang will be put to work at the Washington end on Thursday. The new bridge to accommodate the second track was completed at Rand on Saturday last.

Classified Ads

WANTED--A girl for general housework. White or colored. Call at 414 Fallowfield avenue. 3001f

TO LET--Five room flat. Hall and Whitelatch, Fourth and Fallowfield. 2591f

MONONGAHELA

PLACE FOR THE NEXT CONVENTION

Monongahela will get the next Firman's convention, which has been made a tri-state affair and will be held in August of 1911. This was decided at a meeting held in Carnegie yesterday during the Firemen's convention at that place.

Headed by Mayor Isler and city officials in the leading car, a big delegation of Monongahela "boosters" made the trip to Carnegie yesterday in ten automobiles. The machines were gaily decorated. National colors and Monongahela City colors were used in profusion and as the procession swept through the streets and out of the city the mayor and his train were given a rousing sendoff.

Monongahela firemen and the city will immediately begin preparations for entertaining firemen and their friends for an entire week during next August.

ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AS BENEFIT FOR M. E. CHURCH

Under the auspices of the Ladies League of the Methodist Episcopal church last night at School Hall was given an entertainment in the shape of a three act play, "Roger Procter." The play was the story of a blind lover. The following took part in the play: Mrs. Cary Fisher, Mrs. Clarence Welch, Mrs. William Hughes, W. H. Reese, Frank By and L. H. Gehring. All handled their parts well. As extra features were introduced a selection by the M. E. choir, a vocal solo by A. H. Bosson, piano solos by Miss Elma Lites and Earl Nickolson, and recitations by Miss Dessie Blaker. The affair was given as a benefit, the object being to raise money for the purpose of paying the balance due on a rug for the Sunday school room of the church.

COURT HANDS DOWN DECREE RESTRAINING GAS COMPANY TO ACT

In the equity proceedings of the Citizens Gas company the county court has handed down a decree perpetually enjoining and restraining the defendant from tearing up, destroying or in any manner interfering with the pipe lines of the gas company, as the same are now laid under the tracks and roadbed of the defendant company at its grade crossing on Gregg street, Monongahela. In the event the defendant company should at any time lay additional tracks at the grade crossing of Gregg street, the gas company shall be required to extend through and under such additional tracks and roadbeds as shall be built, the 6 5/8 inch iron pipe which surrounds and forms the shield around its 4 inch gas carrying line, as now constructed at the grade crossing to such distance as shall be reasonably required to clear the additional tracks and roadbeds, upon notice from the Pennsylvania Railroad company.

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SPEEDY HORSES

FOR RACE MEET AT BELLE VERNON

The Belle Vernon Driving Park Association has announced the dates for the annual race at the Belle Vernon track as Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 24, 25, and 26. About fourteen head of horses are already at the track, having their daily try-outs and word has arrived by Secretary Allen that a car load of the best horses in Ohio will arrive this week.

This meet will follow directly after the Morgantown races and the best horses now entered at the Dawson races this week and which go to Morgantown will be seen on the Cook track, so that the promoters have no fear of there being a scarcity of good stock present.

Miners Seek to Enlist Aid of the Governor

Governor Stuart in response to an appeal from a delegation of miners, asking his intervention in the miners' strike in the Irwin field and also to urge the recall of the State police, informed his visitors that he had no authority under the law to appoint a commission to settle the strike. As for the State police, they had been summoned by the Sheriff of Westmoreland county, who was the responsible official in the matter.

The special committee composed of Miles Dougherty, member of International Executive Board from District No. 9; Francis Feehan, president of Pittsburg District No. 5; Thomas Fagan, president of the Madison local of the Pittsburg district; Jope Littlewood, president of the Greensburg local and George Thompson, president of the Latrobe local.

Christian Sunday School Will Hold Picnic in Grove

The Sunday school of the First Christian church will hold their picnic Thursday in S-eers Grove, near the borough. The members of the Sunday school will be taken to the grove in a wagon which leaves the church at 8:30 o'clock in the morning.

Husband Precedes Wife to Grave by Just Few Months

Mrs. Bridget Kilroy, 67 years old, the proprietress of the Kilroy Hotel, at Monessen, died at 10:30 o'clock last night at her home after suffering for an hour of paralysis. Six children survive. Mrs. Kilroy's husband, John Kilroy, died last November. The family is well known in this section. They formerly lived in Charleroi.

Krepps

Howard, the 11 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Krepps died at the home of his parents, 208 McKean avenue yesterday. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon and interment will be in the Belle Vernon cemetery.

A MONEY SAVING SALE

There are just two ways of saving money on Shoes and only two. One way is to pay the price you have always paid and get better Shoes. The other way is to buy the same Shoes you have always bought but pay a great deal less for them.

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Our Semi-Annual Shoe Clearance Sale is now on and we shall force out of our store by cut prices, every dollar's worth of stock we possibly can.

MEN'S OXFORDS

\$6.00 and \$5.50 kind now.....\$3.95
4.50 and 4.00 kind now.....3.15
3.50 kind now.....2.85
3.00 kind now.....2.40
Odds and ends in \$5, \$5.50 and \$6 Nettle-ton and Stetson Oxfords in black or tan Russia calf and patent calf at.....\$2.85
Odds and ends in \$4 men's Walk-Over oxfords in wax calf, patent colt and tan, blucher bals or button, mostly narrow toes, reduced to.....\$1.00

Children's white canvas button shoes and ties.....69c
Infants' white and pink canvas ties, hard soles, sizes 1 to 4, 50c kind now.....19c

WOMEN'S OXFORDS AND PUMPS

\$4.00 and \$3.50 kind now.....\$2.95
3.00 kind now.....2.45
2.50 kind now.....1.95
2.00 kind now.....1.45
3.00 white canvas oxfords now.....1.35
2.50 white canvas oxfords now.....1.45
2.00 white canvas oxfords now......95
1.50 white canvas oxfords now......50
1.25 white canvas oxfords now......39

Boys' and Girls' Oxfords

\$2.50 kind now.....\$1.95
2.00 kind now.....1.45
1.50 kind now.....1.24
1.00 kind now......95
1.25 kind now......55
1.00 kind now......39

Come early or you may not be able to get your share at this great bargain feast.

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